

About Hidden Trails



Hidden Trails is owned and operated by nature enthusiasts who love horses and adventure activities. We have been involved with riding and other outdoor vacations for over 20 years.

With our partners Voyage du Cheval (France), Pegasus (Germany) as well as Equitour (Switzerland and France) we have collected the best riding destinations all over the world in some hidden places we would like to share with you.

These rides are about galloping on endless beaches, forging rivers, cantering through forests, trotting along age-old trails, gazing at beautiful vistas and encountering foreign cultures. But most of all, these trips are about getting away from the cycle of too much work and never enough free time.

Escape from the rituals, which long ago froze our nights and days into little more than routine and away from the worries of our new tense times. It is so satisfying when we take the plunge of adventure - it's unfortunate that we invent so many reasons to put aside living our dreams of adventure. It is sometimes a tangled web that we weave through life. Some of the threads reveal a work-a-day world of commitments, duties and obligations. Other threads are of a quiet fabric of hope, responsibility and refreshment.

On our adventures you see the real country, its back country and meet the locals. The love for horses has no boundaries but possesses a common language we all speak and understand. The majority of the overseas rides are from inn to inn, some from castle to castle and a few are camping rides.

You will experience new countries and their customs and make new friends. The Hidden Trails trips are the best you can find.

They have been tested by our staff or associates and received our stamp of approval. If you are considering a special riding vacation anywhere in the world, call us first and let our experienced consultants match the perfect trip with your dream.

We will listen to you and give you objective advice to help you choose the best destination and adventure.

Your vacation is the most precious time of the year and we are committed to making it the most memorable time of your life. Wherever you go, have a great time and bring back some peace of mind.

Thank you for your continued support.

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Inca Ruins & Waterfall - Peru, South America

Tour Code: IT-PERT15 2 days / 1 nights ~\$870.00 Dates: Available all year round

Trip Rating:

Tack: modified McClellan saddles with saddle...
Horses: Peruvian Paso Horses
Pace: Slow on mountain paths with opportunit...
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Introduction

Cusco, Peru

This 2-day riding tour is great for those who wish to discover the hidden gems of the Sacred Valley!

You will start your riding adventure from the Pomatales Canyon and make your way to the beautiful waterfall of Perolniyoq. Along the way, you will ride through rural communities and learn more about the local way of life. You will also visit a small lnca complex and ride up to a beautiful panoramic viewpoint.

Accomodation

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You will spend one night camping in the wilderness.



Camping

We provide everything needed for the camping overnights (tents, sleeping bags...) so no need to bring any special gear. You will sleep in a double cabin tent with 2 'rooms' and a shared entryway. Due to the remote location of our camp, there are no showers or toilets available. It is possible to freshen up in a nearby stream.

Casa Andina Hotel in Cusco (optional extra night)

This charming hotel is ideally located in the heart of Cusco. It offers 93 comfortable and elegantly decorated rooms, each equipped with a safety box, heating, coffee kit, TV, free Wi-Fi access and a private bathroom with hairdryer. Check-in starts at noon.

Casa Andina Hotel in Urubamba (optional extra night)

This beautiful hotel located in the Sacred Valley provides rooms that feature cable TV, heating, ensuite bathroom and free Wi-Fi access. The hotel has a small garden where guest can relax in the evening.

Room Occupancy

In case we are unable to find you a roommate, a single supplement fee might apply. Please, note that accommodation for single travelers are not guaranteed at all locations.



Meals

All meals are included in your package from lunch on Day 1 to lunch on the last day.



All your meals are prepared by our cook who follows along the tour with our support vehicle (transporting suitcases).

The food served features Peruvian and international cuisine.

The meals are served buffet style so everyone can choose what they want to eat.

Plenty of drinking water will be provided during the rides.

Dietary Restrictions

We can cater to most dietary restrictions with advanced notice.

Riding



For the protection of all participants, the ride leader reserves the right to prevent anyone from riding who displays insufficient ability, or whose behavior endangers the safety of other riders, themselves, or the horses. No refund will be made to a participant who is rejected for any such reason, or who is unwilling or unable to complete a tour.

Horses

We have 20 Peruvian Paso horses which are known for their smooth gait and elegance. We have horses with different temperaments that can cater to all levels of rider.

The Peruvian Paso Horse transmits its unique smooth gait to its purebred foals. No artificial devices or special training aids are necessary to enable the horse to perform the "Paso Ilano", that provides a ride of incomparable smoothness.

Itinerary

Sample Itinerary - subject to changes

Day 1: Ride to Rayanniyoq

We transfer you to the "Rascca" bridge located in the heart of the Pomatales canyon at 2895 meters above the sea level. Our guide will give you some information about the horses and the riding style.

We will start riding at about 10 am. We follow a wide and safe route climbing up the mountains until we arrive to the Andean community of "Soqma" located at 3184 meters above sea level.

After visiting Soqma, we will continue climbing until arriving to a second village "Markuray" at 3670 meters above sea level. It is near this village that we expect to have our lunch break (around 1 pm), enjoying a nice view over the valley.

During the afternoon ride, we make our way to "Rayanniyoq" located at 3747 meters above sea level, where we will spend the night.

Once in Rayanniyoq, we will ride downhill a little bit, tie our horses and follow a narrow hiking path to visit the most important waterfall from this area "Perolniyoq" which is about 100m high. After spending a great time there, we hike to a small linka complex "Raqay Pata" and enjoy the scenery.

We then head back to our horses and ride up to our camping place. We prepare ourselves and the horses for the cold night. This camping area is located in a gorge that is why when the shadow comes, the temperature descends quickly.

Meals included: Lunch & Dinner

Overnight Camping near Rayanniyoq

Day 2: Sacred Valley Viwepoint

After a quick breakfast (around 8 am), we aim to be back in the saddle for 9:30 am. We will ride up to the highest point of the Sacred Valley, at 4408 meters above the sea level. There, we will enjoy an incredible viewpoint!

After taking some pictures, we will ride downhill through the Soqma Community.

We expect to be back at the trailhead for 1:30 pm. Horses and riders are transferred to our hacienda for a nice farewell lunch (around 2 pm).

Meals included: Breakfast & Lunch

Note: If you wish to extend your stay in Peru, we suggest to sign up for the Machu Picchu Mountain Lodges Ride.

Other Info

Meeting: Urubamba Airport: Cusco Train station: Cusco

Transfer: Cusco or Sacred Valley

Distance: 38 miles

Pick-up/ drop-off for this trip is available from Cusco or the Sacred Valley (Urubamba / Ollantaytambo). Transfers from/to the Sacred Valley are included in your package while transfers from Cusco can be arranged for an extra fee.

Tack: modified McClellan saddles with saddlebags

Horses: Peruvian Paso Horses

Pace: Slow on mountain paths with opportunities to go faster in the valley (no canter)

About 5-7 hours in the saddle per riding day

Walk | Trot |

Level: (3 to 5 out of 5) Intermediate and above

Age: Min 8 Max 70

Weight: 200 lbs / 90 kg

Riders: Min 2 riders Max 10 riders

Rates and Dates 2024 - IT-PERT15

Rates include: Accommodation, All meals, Entrance ticket to Salinas & Riding according to the program It is possible to borrow a helmet locally

Packages and Options

Season	Description	~US\$
A 2024	2 day trip	\$870

Transfer Option

Description

2024 Transfers included from/to Sacred Valley (Urubamba / Ollantaytambo)	
2024 Transfers from/to Cusco on request - extra fee applies (please inquire)	
2024 Group discount (4-10 pax), pp	
2024 Small group supplement (2 pax only)	\$10
2024 Single supplement - please inquire	
2024 Extra night at Casa Andina Hotel in Cusco or Urubamba, dbl, pp, per night w/ breakfast (includes hotel taxes)	\$180
2024 Extra night at Casa Andina Hotel in Cusco or Urubamba, single, per night w/ breakfast (includes hotel taxes)	\$360

Tour Dates

Season	Tour Dates		
A 2024	01/01/2024 - 12/31/2024	2d / 1n	2 day trip

Min/Max: 2/10

It is possible to arrange tours for private groups on request (private group fee applies)

Rates do not include:Drinks & Gratuities

Reservation Form

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